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LOK SABHA

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ASSISTANCE FOR CONTROL OF CATTLES DISEASE
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has received financial assistance from the World Bank to control the animal diseases ;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the action being taken by the Government to control the animal diseases in various State including Chhattisgarh?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE (DR. SANJEEV KUMAR BALYAN)

(a) and (b). No such financial assistance has been received by the Government from the World Bank to control the animal diseases. However, in 2007, a World Bank assisted project was implemented in the country for Preparedness, Control and Containment of Avian Influenza which came to end in March, 2012

(c) The Department is implementing a Centrally Sponsored Scheme 'Livestock Health & Disease Control (LH & DC)',(now re-named as Veterinary Services & Animal Health) having various components, under which Central Government supplements the efforts of State/UT Governments including Chhattisgarh in prevention and control of animal diseases by providing financial assistance for carrying out preventive vaccination against economically important diseases, strengthening of State Laboratory and Biological production Units infrastructure, awareness and disease surveillance.